

Dated - 3/15/16

FCC 16-41
RFD-TV
49 music square west
Nashville, Tx. 37203

Gerald Sigler
1004 Colonial Ct.
Princeton, Ky. 42445

To whom it may concern,

We watch RFD-TV on Dish network.
Please keep it on. you have a good
amount of things on RFD that we really
enjoy. We would hate to see it gone.
Please stay on!

Sincerely,
Gerald Sigler

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To:

From: Harry Fairfield Bower
5504 N. Maria Dr

Tucson, AZ 85707-5924

Dear FCC: Proceeding number 16-41 (520) 293-1824

Re: FCC 16-41

Administrators, I watch RFD-TV on Comcast

I would like to express the necessity of RFD-TV in my life and that of the rest of this country.

The amount and quality of the facts broadcast is vast and beneficial to all viewers, whether they be farmers or consumers. Researched and well focused journalism gives everyone a better vision of food production and the consequences of execution of operations and political policy for all of us in this country.

I'm not your average moron, I think. I know that canned food doesn't grow on trees and frozen vegetables are not a solely winter product. The presented ~~DUCKET FILE COPY ORIGINAL~~ idea and future uses for producers and consumers nationwide. The industrial and smaller scale items are well focused and well produced for all viewers benefit.

The personnel at RFD-TV are well educated, involved, give outstanding presentation levels, and are some of the most pleasant people in the television industry. To allow a cable company to deny access to viewers would be a irredeemable injustice to the American public.

Harry Fairfield Bower

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Bill Loseke
48302N 290TH AVE
Fullerton, Nebr. 68638
Phone 1-308-536-2717
I subscribe to DISH TV

Dear FCC 16-41

I subscribed to DISH TV in Dec. 2015 before that I only got Public TV. I'm a Farmer 68 years old. I don't care much for Dirty Movies, and Sports with the exception of Rodeo. RFD is the Channel I watch about 70% of the time. RFD²³¹ gives me my Grain & Livestock Markets 232 gives me the Superior Livestock sales. I love Country Western Music shows Red Stegall West. of Wall Street. Tractor & Pickup Pulls Tuesday 5:30 P.M. Mecums Auctions, Machinery Pete, Ag PHD, The American Rodeo, And other Rodeo and Livestock show Coverage. Verizon Fios must be nuts to drop RFD, or only care about the people in the cities who think their Food comes from the Grocery store. If RFD quits I'll go back to Radio.

Sincerely Bill Loseke

16-41 March 14, 2016

Joel & Patsy Edwards
87 Luther Street, Ridgeway Va. 24148
276/956-6110
Director

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Dear Sirs:

We are writing this letter in reference to RFD-TV station which we watch on a daily basis.

We seriously writing to let you know exactly what this station means to us. It is #1 to our household. In fact, if it were to ever be removed, we would definitely go back to an antenna, or listen to Radio and forever put Cable down.

In fact for the amount we pay monthly, it should be our idea of what stations we want to watch and not pay for those stations we never turn to.

RFD-TV is the most courteous - far as Commercials (no sex, foul language, Beer Advertisements, Politics etc.) If there is a child visiting our home (Grandchildren, Neighbor etc) we don't worry over them watching things they should not be seeing.

Please, we are asking, "do not remove RFD-TV.

We're sure you will eventually be sorry because of Customers you will lose!!

Take our word, seriously, this letter is important!
Lots of Virginia Customers watch this station.

Sincerely,
Joel & Patsy Edwards

Ladies and Gentleman,
RFD-TV is a valuable TV station to the farmer,
ranchers and other agriculture related businesses,
as well as different events.

It is a family oriented programs, all ages can watch,
something America needs,

on most TV stations, most of what is shown is filthy
violence and are not moral structured,

We wonder why America is in the shape it is in, a
lot has to do with what is viewed on the airways

myself, a lot of family members, friends and neighbors
do not allow the filthy shown on most stations in our
homes. We need RFD-TV and your help to clean
up TV.

Please take a stand, help stop the filth that our
children are exposed to, keep RFD-TV on the air,

This station is a teaching tool in many areas,
to all ages. It teaches patient, determination, team
work, work ethics, as well as values that has been
lost in our great nation,

We subscribe to Direct TV, please keep RFD-TV,

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Thank You!
Gerald and Sherry Whitehead
2870 Pilgrim Rest Church Rd,
Marianna, FL 32448

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Gerald and Sherry Whitehead

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March 12, 2016

Dear Verizon Executives with Verizon FIOS TV:

I am writing on behalf of my Mom, Dorothy Adams, who lives in upstate New York. She lives in a remote part of the Adirondacks Mountains. About two years now, our area was able to receive fiber optic internet service with the help of a funding program. Before we only had basic dial up internet service. Along with this new service, we now have full cable service. We have just the basic but is able to watch RFD-TV.

My Mom loves this channel! We felt very outrage when this past January it was announced that Verizon FIOS TV intended to drop RFD-TV. I do not think you understand how many "older seniors" enjoy this channel and all the old time music that is played. Plus when you live in a remote area, you have to drive over an hour or more for entertainment. People who live in these areas do not have a lot of money so do not venture out to go see entertainment like this. This channel brings so much joy and happiness to their viewers while they sit in their home. They benefit so much with this channel due to the fact so many other channels have shows now that use bad language, many sexual remarks, and some nudity. The TV shows are not like they used to be. My mom is only one of thousands senior citizens who enjoy the RFD-TV channel so much but are not able to sit down and write a letter like this. This is why I am writing this letter on behalf of my Mom and the many other thousands senior citizens.

Please consider how many senior citizens you are going to take away their pleasure with RFD-TV. My Mom is 87 years old and deserves to have a channel like this to watch and enjoy. This is one of a kind channel and this is only ONE channel we are talking about. I'm sure with all the "sports" channels there is, you would not consider removing even one of them.

Thank you for taking the time to read my letter.

Sincerely,



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Marie Wood
474 Oswegatchie Trail Road
Oswegatchie, NY 13670

FCC in care of RFDTV
49 Music Square West Suite 103 16-41
Nashville Tennessee 37203

Dear FCC 16-41

I live in a rural part of Little River
County, Arkansas.

I watch TV by Dish Satellite
as an elderly lady my outside world is TV.
I enjoy RFDTV because it's family oriented.
So much variety - good clean movies, learning
about the growing of our food, fascinated
with the farm machinery - different from here
and plow of the 20's and 30's, seeing places such
as Mackinac Island and other places I've
never seen and could not afford to go.

Good gospel music, Rodeo, and of course
Hoe Hoe. Could mention more.

There are many people who depend on this
entertainment. Please do not ~~remove~~^{remove} it from
our viewing.

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Sincerely

Mildred Kanakis 957

March 11, 2016

Mildred A. Kanakis
P.O. Box 36
Alleene, AR 71820-0036

MARCH 14, 2016

TO: FCC PROCEEDING # 16-41

FROM: Gene STOREY
107 Old Salem Trl
Pine Mt, GA 31822
Ph: 706-6639334

Dear FCC, DOCKET FILE COPY ORIGINAL

I wish to voice my support for RFD-TV & other independent networks on cable TV & satellite TV. In many urban areas this channel & others are being dropped without any input from their viewers. TV providers have many of the same kind of channels - movies, comedy, food channels, etc. RFD-TV network offers something different - that is wholesome family entertainment that includes music, travel programs, equine shows & market reports for those folks who provide the food we eat. When watching RFD-TV you don't have to worry about every other sentence being bleeped out because of the language. Although this channel appeals to all age groups - it is especially necessary for older viewers. It brings back TV the way it used to be - that is good entertainment. Other networks do not have programming aimed for older citizens - we are usually left out. Thank you! for your consideration to this very important matter.

Sincerely,
Gene Storey
~~Gene Storey~~

FCC ? RFD TV 110.41
49 Music Square West
Nashville, Tenn 37203

To Whom it May Concern:

I wish to express to you how much my family relies on RFD TV for info on the market for cattle & chickens & other livestock. Please - Please don't quit carry that station on TV. There is so much on T.V. not fit to watch, we can always count on RFD to be family oriented - We really enjoyed all the good entertainment, gospel music & country & western.

I live in Cullman County, Ala. We lead the state in Cattle & Poultry production - Sweet potatoes, corn, cotton, Hay fields are produce here also.

ANY impact you may be able to have with the Powers that be to keep RFD on the TV will be greatly appreciated!

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Thank you,
Sincerely,
The Green family



Nedra Green
950 Section Line Rd. NE
Hanceville, AL 35077-5348

03-13-16

Re: FCC # 16-41

This letter is a plea to you to stop
Cable Companies from blocking or dropping
rural programs on RFD

I'm asking you please - protect our
rural programs.

I am an 81 year old widow living
alone on the family farm. While I can no
longer be active in "farming" - I do have
the land rented to a crop farmer. I do
follow the markets on RFD - plus,
RFD TV is my greatest source of good
entertainment.

I'm pleading with you to stop this madness
of the Cable Companies. My provider is
DirecTV

Thank you;

Deloris Kleinhans
W1580 Fur Farm Road
New Holstein, WI 53061
delkor_inc@yahoo.com
920-898-4447

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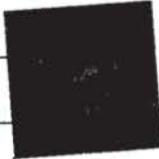
Dear FCC; Re 16-41
Please do whatever is
necessary to RFD & other
independent TV stations on
our TV's.

I get RFD on Direct TV & watch
it more than any other channel.
It always has good, clean
programs & commercials.

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Thank you.

Jackie Chatman



Jackie Chatman
220 County Road 217
Gaylesville, AL 35973-2529



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March 8, 2016

FCC 16-41
RFD TV 16-41
49 Music Square West
Nashville, TN

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I am writing to you today about RFD TV 16-41 programming. This is one of the best family programs on TV that we watch. Many of the channels that we have we hardly ever watch, because of some of the content that isn't worth watching. I feel like we have let our children down by some of the stuff on TV today in our time.

I am a wife, mother, grandmother, and great grandmother at the age of 71. I have a GED Certified and a Master Gardener Certified. We have a small garden each year and our grandchildren have a hand in picking out the plants and seeds that we plant they are 10 + 6 years old. They have 2 dogs, chickens and roosters, a goat. They are responsibly for feeding and watering them. They gather the eggs, and have just found out how important a rooster is to baby chicks.

They are learning alot from Grandpa and Mamma. So please don't take this channel off the air.

Sincerely
Nativia Case

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FCC
c/o RFD-TV
49 Music Square
Nashville, TN 37203

Dear FCC, Proceeding # 16-41

Thomas and Carol Downs
7855 Edgehill-Mitchell Road
Mitchell, GA 30820
706-598-3836

We watch RFD-TV on DirecTV. We very much enjoy the programming that is available to us now. It is good to have a channel that has programs that you don't have to worry about watching. We LOVE Larry's Country Diner as well as others. Please consider not changing any of these programs.

Thank you for allowing us to voice our opinions.

Carol R. Downs

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Feb. 23, 2016
"16-41"

To FCC,

I am writing concerning the "Independent Programming." We get our RFD 2.V. through Comcast Cable.

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We watched the program Monday evening at 8:00 p.m. C.T. We enjoy watching R.F.D. T.V. and watch it on a regular ~~time~~ basic.

We love the farming, weather, country music + etc. on this station and desire it to stay on the air.

There are far too much unchristian things on 2.V. + also very few things I want my family to see, esp. for the grandchildren + great grandchildren. We are a senior citizen and live by our faith in God!

If they want to do away with stations - let them stop the ones that are not acceptable to watch.

Thanks,
Mr. + Mrs. Robert
Watkins



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Shirley Hockenberry
Richfield, PA. 17086

I Am adding my voice to the concerns of others for RFD TV, we live in rural Pennsylvania and my husband is a farmer and he enjoys the Market Day reports and anything to do with farming, I am a quilter, so I enjoy Quilt In A Day, we get RFD on Dish network, the only time we watch the other networks is for local news and weather, so if they would take RFD off we may just forget TV as there's not much fit to watch on the other channels.

Sincerely a concerned citizen
Shirley J. Hockenberry

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I sure hope they don't
take, RFD-TV. away from us.

I'm a 80 year old, just lost
my husband two years ago and we
both really enjoy all of RFD-TV.
Weeks are best.

We are on Cable and do get 75 or so
programs but still no good program
I have friends who are seniors
and we all enjoy RFD-TV.

Don't know what more I
can say. Love RFD-TV. Hope
we can keep it.

Ours was off first weekend
in March. And I was so afraid
we'd lost it. But it came back on
Monday. Thank goodness.

Must have been a sample of
what might happen. But I sure
hope not.



Ms. Barbara Crofutt
6 Wulff Rd
Douglas, WY 82633-8932

Barbara Crofutt.

Sun March 13

To whom It May Concern, 16-41

RFD TV is important in our
lives. We are seniors & need & enjoy
all aspects of their programming.
Please do not renew RFD. Enough
already!

Roy M Shacklett
Bettye L Shacklett

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Dear FCC, 16-41

I've tried to fill out complaint form to no avail.

my complaint is, why let Fios take away good entertainment like RFD? I'm 95 years old, widowed and RFD had shades for seniors. Previously I had shades, moved and couldn't have it. Went with Verizon because they had it. I hope you give this serious thought and Verizon Fios gets RFD back.

Thank You!

717-838-8284

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Betty Herb
502 S. Franklin St.
Palmyra, PA 17078

Concerning 16-41

Dear FFC

Please take time to listen & be concerned about farmers who are raising the food for all. Their dirt a whole lot of farmers around, but the society need us now, tho they don't let the realize it please don't let the big stations take RFD off. I've been a steady listener of the station Gina widow but love the station my son & grandsons took over the "Trust in Him" farm, but the all I love at all times... the station too. One watched it since it come on the air.

Thanks for listening to me.

Eunice Stafford
Stafford Farm
2287A 915W
Aptn In 44072



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Lou Ann

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Lou Ann Gubex
N981 Elmore Drive
Campbellsport, Wisconsin 53010

I have Direct TV!
phone no 920-533-8006

If you take our RFQ off
the air you might as well
take TV off all together
I love to watch the country
music shows especially.

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Lou Ann Gubex

2-22-2016

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Dear Patrick,

Dont fully understand
all the items going on with
F CC, I dont like calling in
or using the computer. I'm
almost 80 years old and my
mind always doesnt think the
way I want it to.

I grew up on the farm as
well as my husband. You can
take the boy off of the farm but
cant take the farm out of the boy.
He does work on the farm

spring and fall. He enjoys it.

We do watch the RFD channel and ~~see~~ as I understand it we pay extra to have you. We are with Mediacom I don't mind as you have many programs we enjoy.

I miss seeing the singers and players from Sandstone Ar, Joey Miss Larry & Joey, I understand Joey has concert. That we should send a note to her BTT what is her address?

We enjoy Marty Stewart Show, Texas Co Reporter, Molly B. There are many more, only they don't come to mind right now.

I can only wish you good luck with the problems that

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fare you today, Keep up
the good work with your
RFD channel.

Sincerely yours
Mrs Andrew Kusera
515 7th St NE
Montgomery Ala
56069